

**BEAR CREEK FIELD**

**01-499 thru 01-504**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 2001**, upon the application of **EL PASO PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A and Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Louisiana Minerals Ltd 1 No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for HOSS B RA SUC and for HOSS C RA SUI, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
2. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its El Paso Fee 3 No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for HOSS B RA SUZ and for HOSS C RA SUJ, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
3. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Boddie et al 34 No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for HOSS B RA SUY and for HOSS C RA SUN, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
4. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q, effective February 18, 1971 (applicable to the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A) and Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Y, effective September 11, 1980 (applicable to the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A) for any of the proposed wells the location of which, as shown on the plats submitted with the application, does not comply with the well location provisions in said Orders.
5. To find that drilling, designation and use of each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A and the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A, underlying the units on which they are proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within these units.
6. To permit the operator of HOSS C RA SUI, HOSS C RA SUJ and HOSS C RA SUN to produce the allowables assigned to these units from either the unit well, any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the operator.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q, effective February 18, 1971, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q-8, effective July 6, 1982.

The Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Y, effective September 11, 1980.

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Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**PHILIP N. ASPRODITES**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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